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### SHOT AND THEN TELEPHONED

#### The Son of a Late Governor of Missouri Committed Suicide.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec.—In response to a telephone message received from E. V. Moorehouse, who said he was in trouble, Dr. J. H. Koch of Maryville, Mo., went to the Moorehouse home in that city and found Mr. Moorehouse dead on the floor, one bullet hole in his right temple and another near the heart. Mrs. Moorehouse was away from home at the time.

It is believed he killed himself, but no motive is known for his suicide. He was a prosperous real estate dealer and his affairs were evidently in good condition. He was about 30 years old. He was a son of ex-Governor A. P. Moorehouse, who was elected lieutenant governor of Missouri in 1884, and succeeded Governor Marmaduke as governor, when the latter died.

Ex-Governor Moorehouse killed himself in Maryville, Sept. 3, 1901, by shooting.

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### SANTA FE TO GROW TIES.

#### Seven Thousand Acres in California to be Planted With Eucalyptus.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway proposes to grow its own railway ties. To that end a ranch of 10,000 acres has been purchased in San Diego county, California, and 7,000 acres will be planted in eucalyptus trees. The remaining 3,000 acres will be used as an experimental station and serve as an object lesson to the farmers of that vicinity.

This step has been taken because of the increasing fear that before many years the native timber of the United States will be exhausted. It has been demonstrated that wood of the eucalyptus tree will outlast any other when used for piles, ties and bridge work.

While the planting of trees has been started it will be from fifteen to eighteen years before any of them will be large enough to cut. At that age each tree can be cut into two ties and the increase from then on is more rapid.

With its present mileage the Santa Fe uses 3 million new ties yearly, which in the fiscal year ending June 30 last, cost \$2,393,973. It is estimated, however, that at the time set for the maturity the eucalyptus ranch will produce each year 7 million ties, giving a surplus over present needs of 4 million a year.

### STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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### Tells of an Anarchist Plot.

Budapest, Dec.—The Nap, a newspaper of this city, publishes a sensational story to the effect that an Anarchist plot upon the lives of Emperor Francis Joseph and Archduke Francis Ferdinand, the heir to the throne, has been discovered.

The store would appear to be founded on the fact that the Hungarian police were informed recently that four widely known Anarchists had left Geneva for Hungary with the object of making an attempt upon the life of Francis Ferdinand. The police were instructed to watch the frontier closely, but so far as is known no Anarchists have yet entered Hungarian territory.

In answer to an inquiry concerning the reported Anarchist plot against the lives of Emperor Francis Joseph and Archduke Francis Ferdinand, it was officially declared here that the government had no information whatever to bear out the suggestion that the Anarchists who are supposed to have left Geneva for Hungary had any designs upon the emperor or the heir to the throne, and the idea of any such attempt was discredited.

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#### WARRANTY DEEDS.

Alex. Moorewood to Annie E. Williams 40 a sec 4 Homer \$900. Thos McComb to Rose I Dibble 10 a sec 4 New Home \$350. J F Gilbert to W A Page 40 a sec 29 Mingo \$700.

Elmer Robbins to Johanna Meyer 80 a sec 21 Charlotte \$3920. F. O. Twyman to W F Reeder lots 5 & 6 blk 5 Hustons 2 add Adrian \$2440.

H L Fair to W F Reeder lots 1, 2, 3, & 4 blk 5 Hustons 2 add Adrian \$450.

Ewan S Griffith to Harmon Pelmeler 35 a sec 23 Rockville \$175. J C Fleher to John M Moore lots 17 & 18 blk 1 Atkinson Park add Butler \$111.

D C Baker to N H Smithson 60 a sec 21 Hudson \$1000.

W M Kurtz to Eliza F Thompson 80 a sec 30 Mingo.

David Duffield to Thos Watson lot 10 blk 102 Rich Hill \$50.

C T McKissick et al to C M Ruble lot 7 blk 35 Rich Hill \$800.

James Maxey to W R Dunham 80 a sec 1 Mound \$4400.

F R Hines to Nancy M Pulliam lots 1 to 5 blk 3 Williams add Merwin \$700.

Harriet I Smith to Geo H Butler 248 a sec 30 & 31 Mingo \$8,000.

Martin W Owen to M H Mouse 37½ a sec 34 Grand River \$1275.

W F Duvall to Elmer Robbins 201 a sec 6 Pleasant Gap \$4,400.

C F Jennings to Arthur Duvall 160 a sec 15 Walnut \$1 & ex.

Fred H Gann to Fannie Gann 160 a sec 17 Howard \$4700.

#### QUIT CLAIM DEEDS.

R S Kelley to Harriet I Smith 91 a sec 31 Deer Creek \$1.

#### A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Heron seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp. "When I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles by F. T. Clay, druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

For State Bank Law Changes.

New York, Dec.—The commission appointed by Governor Hughes to recommend changes in the state banking laws has under consideration, among other things, changes to the laws regarding trust companies which will require large reserve funds to be kept.

The first plan is for all trust companies to keep on hand 25 per cent of all deposits, of no matter what character, 10 per cent to be deposited in banks and the other 15 per cent to be kept in the company's vaults.

The other plan provides for a reserve fund equal to 25 per cent of all demand deposits with only a nominal reserve, perhaps only 5 per cent required on time deposits. The passage of laws embodying either of these plans, it is believed, would induce many of the trust companies to enter the clearing house or establish a central body of their own.

### CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of

Must Pay 1-2 Million Taxes.

Jackson, Miss., Dec.—By a decision of United States Judge Henry C. Niles, Mississippi wins a suit against the Singer Sewing Machine company for back taxes from 1886 to date, amounting to ¼ million dollars. Suit was instituted in 1904 by Wirt Adams, revenue agent, to collect back taxes on solvent credits, which had not been listed. Adams said the company held between 4 and 5 million dollars in notes made in this state on which not a cent had been paid. The Singer company got out an injunction restraining the collection for taxes and the decision rendered dissolves that injunction. The Singer company will take an appeal to the United States supreme court.

DeWitt's Little Early Riser pills are sold by Frank Clay, druggist.

The "Jim Crow" Bill Passed.

Guthrie, Ok., Dec.—The "Jim Crow" bill passed the senate this afternoon by a vote of 36 ayes, and 8 nays, there being four absentees and one excused. The bill will become effective in sixty days after being signed by the governor.

### Bookkeeper Drops

#### Dead at the Capital.

Washington, D. C., Dec.—Major W. T. Seward, a bookkeeper of the senate dropped dead today while entering a revolving door of the capitol.

Major Seward was appointed to his position six years ago by the late Senator Hawley, of Connecticut, his home being in Guilford, Conn.

He had had an eventful career, being twice taken prisoner during the civil war while attached to the seventh Connecticut volunteer infantry.

He went to the Hawaiian Islands and was attached to the staff of Queen Lilioukalani, and at one time was under sentence to be shot there.

Norfolk, Neb., Dec.—V. B. Nethaway killed his wife on a Union Pacific train here late this afternoon in sight of scores of people. Then he ran a block and blew out his own brains.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION ON DECEMBER 31st, 1907. Bills Receivable (money loaned) \$999,427.50 Bonds and Stocks 1,500.00 Real Estate 11,500.15 Time Abstracts 500.00 Cash on hand and in banks 61,067.57 Total \$1,073,995.27

Capital \$50,000.00 Surplus fund and profits 25,277.44 Time Deposits 148,500.00 Demand Deposits 86,317.77 Total \$210,195.21

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